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OUTLINES.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, day delivered a strong speech on President's message1234 523456 234- for shooting up Brownsville, making a convincing argument that Mr. Roosevelt was acting within his rights under the constitution and articles of war; Mr. Daniel demonstrated that it was not a race question but one of maintaining discipline necessary to an efficient army, dismissal being imperative whether the troops were white or black.——The Shah of Persia died yesterday evening at Teheran ——In the Senate yesterday Mr. Overman of North Carolina opposed any legislation affecting child labor, making an elaborate argument that it is not a matter of interstate commerce but a question for the individual States; he favored such laws as would protect children, but contended that if Congress can prohibit interstate shipment of the products of child labor in factories Federal authority could be exercised over all labor that produces anything that goes into trade with other States.——In the hearing of the case against the negro corporal at Fort Reno, Okla., for attempting to assassinate Capt. Macklin, it was developed that there was a plot to murder al the white officers ——Minnesota's great legal battle to question the proposed issue of $60,000,000 in stock to further additional scooping of railroads by the Great North Northern Railway began at St. Paul yesterday.——In New York yesterday a lot of ballot boxes were kept out of the hands of Attorney General Jackson to whose custody they were consigned by a court order pending his suit to oust Mayor McClellan in behalf of Mr. Hearst.——Inquiry into the Harriman lines was resumed before the Interstate Commerce Commission.——The huge British warship Dreadnaught is coming to American waters.——It is reported that Mexican troops killed 30 strikers yesterday at Orizaba.——Near Lynchburg, Va., yesterday Miss Gladys Shelton aged 17, was assaulted by a negro, who attempted to drown her in a creek afterward.—New York markets: Money o' call firm 6 to 15 per cent; ruling rate 6 1-2, closing bid 6, offered at 8; spot cotton firm 10.85; flour dull and unchanged; wheat irregular, No. 2 red 79 elevater; corn steady; No. 2 52 1-2 elevator; oats steady, mixed 39 to 39 1-2; turpentine firm 71 1-2 to 72; rosin firm, strained common to good 4.25.

There is a hello strike in Memphis. Thirty telephone girls are on a strike for more pay and shorter hours.

To all appearances, Senator Lodge, by his speech in the Senate on Monday, had Senator Foraker floundering in his attack on President Roosevelt for dismissing those negro troops.

Col. Roosevelt probably would like to "sub" for the whole Supreme Court when the appeal in the case of the employers' liability act comes on for close scrutiny under waste basket proceedings.

A lot of people who have been summoned as witnesses in the Harry Thaw case declare that they are "going to tell all they know." If they are going to do that people will think Harry did one crazy thing after the other.

The Supreme Court of the United States may dislike to be nudged, so it isn't any use to ring it up and tell it what the White House expects of it when the court gets to picking flaws in what that Kentucky Judge and that Tennessee Judge tried to do to the employers' liability act.

Blackburn had no chance to deprive Hackett of his seat in Congress, but he did have the opportunity to acquiesce in the inevitable in a way that would have strengthened him with both Republicans and Democrats. Alack! He failed to measure up to the standard of statesmanship and leaves us to the conclusion that he landed in Congress by mere accident. Verily, verily, his last days are the likeness of a flash in the pan.

The Maxton Scotish Chief recently became the Maxton News, but soon after the name of the paper was changed Mr. J. P. Wiggins bought the paper and will now publish it as "The Maxton Chief," The last issue comes to us under the later name, and its appearance indicates that Editor Wiggins is brushing up things. He is an experienced newspaper man and if the Maxton people hold up his hands he will give them a paper worthy of that enterprising town.

It is announced from Washington that the Senate Finance Committee is slow in reporting the nomination of George B. Cortelyou for Secretary of the Treasury. The committee is aware that when the nomination is reported it will draw the fire of some Democrats who can make it embarrassing for Roosevelt and Cortelyou about those corporation campaign subscriptions. When Roosevelt made Cortelyou National Republican chairman he did George B. a real unkindness, but nevertheless the President has stuck to him.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

Important Business Transacted Last Night By Audit and Finance Board.

FRONT STREET PAVEMENT

City and Street Car Company Will Do Their Part—Salary of Milk Inspector Fixed at $600—Plumbing Ordinance Adopted.

At the postponed regular semi-monthly meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance last night, the general proposition to repave Front street in anticipation of a bond issue for a general scheme of permanent street improvement, was concurred in, conditioned upon the street car company and property owners paying their pro rata share of the cost of the improvement; the salary of the milk inspector was fixed at $600 per year, beginning January 1; the Plumbing Ordinance as adopted by the Board of Aldermen on Monday night was concurred in; the proposition to transfer a balance from the Water Commission for the macadamizing of Fourth street between Ann and Castle was approved when the Aldermen by resolution authorize the transfer of such fund; the appropriation of $250 for the entertainment of the visitors here upon the occasion of the Fort Fisher reunion was approved, and much other business of more or less interest to the general public was transacted.

All members of the board except Mr. Wilder were in attendance and the session lasted until nearly 11 o'clock. The question of the salary of the milk inspector was first taken up. Dr. T. B. Carroll, the inspector-elect, was before the Board and made a statement of the duties of the office and as to the importance of the inspection. The salary of $600 was perfectly satisfactory to Dr. Carroll, who will not have to devote all of his time to the office. In this connection the Board suggested to the Aldermen a tax on all dairies offering milk for sale in the city. Dr. Carroll stated that from inquiry made since the inspection bill was agitated he was of the opinion that milk was sold by no less than 80 dealers and private parties in the city under absolutely no regulations whatever.

Alderman R. W. Price urged the matter of the Fort Fisher appropriation and the Board took the position that while the matter was not entirely regular, the question would never be raised as to legality and the money was to be used in a most worthy cause The motion was by Mr. Mr. S. P. McNair.

The proposition to transfer the Water Commission unexpended balance to the work of paving Fourth street between Ann and Castle, was urged by Alderman W. H. Yopp before the meeting was formally called to order and later the Board approved the plan, provided the Aldermen pass the necessary resolution of transfer from one fund to the other.

The bid of the Carolina Cut Stone Company for paving and tiling around the Cornelius Harnett monument was concurred in, the amount being $222.-63.

The award of the contract to Capt. E. G. Parmele for making the fill on Dickinson street in the sum of $1,000 was referred back to the Aldermen with the request that new bids be called for as the Board was of the opinion that a more satisfactory contract could be made.

Alderman J. O. Brawn appeared before the Board and was granted his request for an extra arc light at Tenth and Dock streets, there being no cost for installation.

The Plumbing Ordinance was discussed at some length with Mr. R. H. Grant, the inspector-elect, who explained its provisions. While the tax is to be $50 a year on all dealers and the ordinance as transmitted gave no intimation of a smaller tax for the individual, the Board took the position that it might as well be approved with the understanding that the Aldermen could make future changes before June 1st, the beginning of the new tax year, as they might deem best. The inspector is to receive his compensation from the fee of 50c on each fixture inspected, the same to be paid by the applicants for the permits required in the ordinance.

The matter of the repaving of Front street was discussed with much favor, though the point was made that there might be some difficulty in requiring property owners to pay their pro rata share as the street is already paved and the street law contemplates only those streets which are not improved. It was stated though that the property owners on Front street were generally public spirited citizens who would no doubt voluntarily contribute their pro rata to the much needed improvement. In this view of the case and with the understanding that the street car company and the property owners would pay their share as the work progressed, it was agreed to concur in the plan. The matter was urged and explained by City Engineer P. Matthew, who said that the material should be vitrified brick laid in concrete, or bithulithic on the sides and brick between the street car tracks. His estimate of the cost of this pavement, which it is proposed to extend from Red Cross to Orange street, is $42,967, of which the city would pay $16,000 approximately; the street car company $13,000 and the property owners $12,-000. It was accepted as a matter of fact apparently that a bill would be drawn and presented to the Legislature, authorizing a vote on the bond issue for a comprehensive system of general street improvement.

After transacting a few other minor matters of business and auditing the bills for current expenses, the Board adjourned subject to call of the chairman.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Chas. M. Stieff—Pianos.
Jas. M. Hall—Physic Reason.
Murchison National Bank—Greetings
J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.—Dandelion.
F. Carley West—Administrator's Notice.
Plantagenet Commandery—Stated Conclave.
Wilmington Savings and Trust Co.—4 per cent.

Business Locals.

Lost—Long Black Fur.
Wanted—Man in Grocery.
Wanted—Men and Women.
Miss Gore—Dancing Classes.
Wanted—Position by Young Man.
Mechanics' Home Association—New Series.

FT. FISHER REUNION

Grounds Being Placed in Order—Important Meeting of General Committee This Evening—Some Distinguished Men Coming.

There will be a meeting of the General Committee on the Fort Fisher reunion at the office of the secretary, Capt. T. D. Meares, at the City Hall to-night. It is highly important that every member of this committee be present upon this occasion as all the sub-committees are expected to report and a programme of entertainment for the visitors is to be outlined. As the date for the reunion draws near, there is every indication that the affair is going to be one of the most notable gatherings Wilmington has ever had the pleasure of entertaining and the city cannot afford to have the standard of its hospitality lowered The committee is from the allied Confederate and commercial bodies of the city and these organizations have a right to expect that the members they have appointed on these committees will do their full share in making the arrangements.

Rev. J. A. Smith, Capt. R. W. Price, Capt. Walter G. MacRae, Capt. John W. Harper and Mr. Louis Skinner yesterday went down to the site of the proposed reunion and are arranging to have it put in shape for the reception of the survivors. A plank walk over the "rocks" is to be constructed so the veterans and all others can land safely at Fisher. Mr. Drew, of Southport, has been engaged to have the work in charge and promises to have everything in readiness by next Tuesday, the date of the reunion. As was stated by Capt. Price to the Board of Audit and Finance in asking for an appropriation last night, the Fisher reunion is being talked about much more and is being received with greater enthusiasm by the people outside of Wilmington than in the city.

Gen. Julian S. Carr, commander of the North Carolina Division U. C. V. writes that he will be here. Andrew Lockwood and wife, of Lockport, Oneida county, New York, writes that they will be here and still another distinguished visitor will be ex-Judge A. C. Wright, of Jacksonville, Fla. Judge Wright was a master in command of a ship in the Confederate States navy and writes most interestingly of the memorable conflict in history.

STENOGRAPHERS' EXCHANGE.

Valuable Employment Feature by Typewriter Supply Company.

The Typewriter Supply Company has introduced in connection with its business a "Stenographers' Employment Bureau." The idea as set forth is that a file of stenographers desiring employment both for piece work and regular employment will be kept. Of the latter professionals and students are invited to file their applications with references. The company believes this will be an accomodation to all concerned in the work and may help shorthand writers to find better positions as well as keeping students in view for their step. The move on the part of the company seemed imperative. Substantial men in commercial circles placed the suggestion in such a light that it was thought the company was in position to handle the bureau most successfully for them. The applications and names are to be considered confidential in so far as practical.

The O. A. N. Banquet.

Arrangements are about perfected for the annual banquet of the O. A. N. Society in the Masonic Temple tonight at 9 o'clock. These affairs are always quite pleasurable to the members of the society and this year's annual meeting will prove no exception to the rule. Mr. W. C. Crow will serve as toastmaster and a distinguished guest will be the Rt. Rev. Robert Strange, Bishop of East Carolina, an honorary member of the Society and one who has always taken a great interest in the work among the young men of the city. Several members of the O. A. N. from a distance are expected.

THE NATIONAL BANKS

Annual Meetings of Stockholders and Directors Held Here Yesterday.

ALL IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

Officers and Directors For Most Part Re-elected—Resources and Deposits Indicate Year of Great Progress and Prosperity.

Wilmington has just cause to be proud of her National Banks. Their resources, their capacity to do business, their earnings, their surplus and profits, their every feature that commends a financial institution to the public are second to none in the State. This fact is generally recognized but it was accentuated yesterday upon the annual meetings of the stockholders of the three institutions when most creditable annual exhibits were made by the officers and directors. The showings are all first class and indicate the continued progress and prosperity of the city.

The Southern National Bank.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Southern National was held yesterday noon in its handsomely equipped banking rooms in The Southern building. Mr. L. B. Rogers was called to the chair and Mr. Frank L. Huggins to act as secretary. It was shown that 1,304 shares of the stock were represented. The yearly reports of President Matt J. Heyer and Cashier Charles N. Evans were submitted and attentively listened to. Although the youngest bank in the city, the splendid showing made in these reports was the remark of every one present. All the old Board of Directors was unanimously re-elected as follows: Matt J. Heyer, Hugh MacRae, D. L. Gore, J. A. Arringdale, Z. W. Whitehead, J. A. Taylor, J. H. Rehder, Isadore Bear, L. Hanson, Eduard Ahrens, of this city; S. O. Middleton, of Hallsville, N. C.; H. C. Bridger, of Bladenboro, N. C.; C. C. Pridgen, of Tabor, N. C., and D. D. McCall, of Bennettsville, S. C.

The report of Mr. Heyer was at some length and was regarded as a very able paper on banking in general regardless of its reference to The Southern especially. The phenomenal growth of the bank is shown from the following condensed report of the fifures in the report of the president and the cashier:

December 31st, 1906.	
Loans and Discounts	$661,545.03
Individual Deposits	260,491.78
Bank Deposits	760,697.00
U. S. Deposits	50,000.00
Net profits after paying dividends 3 per cent	14,361.07
Total Assets	$1,592,176.66
December 30th, 1905.	
Loans and Discounts	$299,457.02
Individual Deposits	122,415.21
Bank Deposits	255,442.94
U. S. Deposits	none
Net Profits	1,861.51
Total Assets	$839,821.41
Increase	
Loans and Discounts	$362,088.01
Individual Deposits	138,076.57
Bank Deposits	505,254.06
U. S. Deposits	50,000.00
Net Profits	12,499.56
Total Assets	752,355.25

In the above figures the surplus fund of the bank, $100,000.00, having been subscribed and paid in by the stockholders, is not included. The bank also paid a dividend of $6,000.00 on January 1st, and the $14,361.07 of net profits shown is after this dividend was taken off.

Following the meeting of the stockholders, the directors met and re-elected all officers as follows: President, M. J. Heyer; Vice Presidents D. L. Gore and Hugh MacRae; Cashier, Chas. N. Evans; Assistant Cashier, W. B. Drake, Jr. All the officers were congratulated by the stockholders and directors upon the fine management of the institution.

Atlantic National Bank.

The annual meting of the Atlantic National Bank was held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock in the handsome banking building at Front and Princess streets. Out of 1,250 shares of stock 838 were represented largely in person. The report of Mr. John S. Armstrong, the president, was one of the features of the meeting, meeting with the hearty approval of all. It showed a healthy increase in individual deposits and excellent profits. During the past twelve months the individual deposits have increased until they are now greater than any bank in Eastern Carolina. The following representative men were re-elected directors of the bank: Messrs. H. L. Vollers, Wm. Calder, D. T. McKeithan, Jno. S. Armstrong, N. A. Hunt, Jas. H. Chadbourn, Wm. E. Worth, C. W. Yates, Geo. R. French, H. B. Short, and D. McEachern.

After the meeting of the stockholders the directors met in annual session and re-elcted the old officers as follows: President, Jno. S. Armstrong; Vice Presidents Wm. Calder and Jas. H. Chadbourn; Cashier, Jos. W. Yates; Assistant Cashier, Mitchell F. Allen.

The Examining Committee composed of two members of the Board of Directors, just before the meeting of shareholders, went over every loan of the bank and expressed themselves in very strong terms as to all being absolutely gilt-edged. A committee was also appointed by the Directors to go over the assets of the bank at regular intervals and make report to the Board. A Finance Committee was also appointed to pass upon all loans taken by the bank. All present expressed themselves as very much gratified at the progress of the bank and its earnings.

The Murchison National Bank.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Murchison National Bank was held yesterday morning at the splendid banking home of the institution at Front and Chestnut streets More han 3,000 of the 5,000 shares of stock were represented at the meeting and the annual report of Mr. H. C. McQueen, the president, could not have been more satisfactory. The bank is in better condition than ever before and the growth of its business, necessitating an increase of the capital stock to half a million dollars during the year, was all that could have been desired. The bank now has a surplus of $250,000, being the largest in Eastern Carolina and the equal of any in the State. There are 261 shareholders among the leading business men and capitalists of this section, this number being perhaps the largest in the State.

Members of the Board of Directors were unanimously re-elected as follows: H. C. McQueen, J. V. Grainger, Walker Taylor, M. J. Corbett, W. B. Cooper, J. C. Stevenson, N. Jacobi, M. W. Divine, Shirley Carter, J. L. Coker, A. B. Nichols, Jno. F. McNair and J. A. Springer.

The directors met upon adjournment of the stockholders and re-elected Mr. H. C. McQueen president and Mr. J. V. Grainger, vice president and cashier.

MR. JUSTICE NAMED

Nominee of Democratic Caucus For Speaker Last Night—Other Nominations of Clerks, Etc.—The Republicans Active.

MR JUSTICE NAMED.... ....
(Special Star Correspondence.)
(By So. Bell Long Distance Phone.)

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 8.—The Democratic caucus of the House of Representatives to-night nominated Hon. E. J. Justice, of Guilford, on the second ballot for speaker. The vote was Justice 45; Murphy 18; Dowd 22; and J. S. Manning 4. The first ballot was Justice 41; Murphy 20; Dowd 23 and Manning 6. The caucus organized with B. B. Winborne, of Hertford, in the chair; M. H. Linden, of Chatham, secretary. Mr. Justice was nominated by T. W. Bickett, Esq., of Franklin; Dowd by M. B. Stickley, of Cabarrus; Murphy by Julian, of Rowan, and Manning by W. L. Parsons of Richmond. After the balloting Julian in behalf of Murphy, moved the election be made unanimous, and a vote to that effect prevailed.

Other caucus nominees are F. D. Hackett, of Wilkes, chief clerk; F. B. Arendell, of Wake, reading clerk; M. D. Kindsland, of Haywood, engrossing clerk and J. A. Lisk of Montgomery doorkeeper.

The Democratic Senate caucus nominated C. A. Webb, of Buncombe president pro tem; L. B. Pegram of Wake sergeant at arms; A. J. Maxwell, of Lenoir, chief clerk; R. L. Ballou, of Ashe, reading clerk and Charles Strayhorn of Orange, engrossing clerk.

The Republicans held their caucus in the Supreme Court building with Gus Carter, of Surry, chairman. Their plan of legislation as a minority was discussed and it was decided to hold another caucus to-morrow night to determine for whom they will vote for U. S. Senator to succeed Mr. Simmons. This election will take place the 15th. Dr. C. C. Bryant of Wilkes, will be offered as the nominee of speaker in the House.

DEAD IN DOCTOR'S OFFICE.

Well Known Wrightsboro Man Dropped Dead Yesterday Morning.

While in the office of Dr. E. J. Wood, on Chestnut street, yesterday morning awaiting the arrival of Dr. Wood whom he desired to consult with reference to his health, Mr. Harry C. Wright, 55 years of age, a well known resident of the Wrightsboro section, dropped dead in a chair. His wife accompanied the sick man. When Dr. Wood arrived the death was pronounced due to valvular disease of the heart. Dr. Wood had treated the man at his home several days ago and Mr. Wright felt well enough yesterday morning to come to the city to see the doctor. The exertion was too much for him and the relaxation came in the physicians' office and the patient died.

The remains were removed to the undertaking establishments of Alderman W. E. Yopp and prepared for burial. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of Mrs. Holland, a sister of the deceased, 1123 North Fourth street and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery. Mr. Wright is survived by a brother, William Wright of Wrightsboro and his wife. He was an industrious farmer and his death is generally regretted by all his acquaintances.

—Annie Lewis, Bertha Nelson, Marie Carter, Rosa Brown and Julia Mulford, all colored with the exception of tha Nelson woman, were given 60 days on the county farm by the Mayor yesterday on double charges of disorderly conduct at Second and Brunswick streets and being common vagrants.

RECORDER'S COURT

Bill Authorizing New County Tribunal Unanimously Endorsed For Pas...

THE CONFERENCE YESTERDAY

Will Be Forwarded at Once to General Assembly For Enactment Into Law—Synopsis of Measure of Importance to Government.

At a joint meeting of the boards of County Commissioners and Aldermen of the city yesterday afternoon in the Mayor's office, the proposed Recorder's court for New Hanover was enthusiastically endorsed in the following resolution by Commissioner William F. Robertson, seconded by Alderman Walter E. Yopp, nearly every member of both boards having been in attendance, the single exception having been Alderman W. H. Yopp and Commissioner Alexander:

"Resolved by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington and the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County in joint meeting assembled that the member of the House of Representatives from New Hanover and the Senator from this district be and they are both earnestly requested to introduce and press to an early passage the bill this day presented to and endorsed by us establishing in the city of Wilmington, a special court to be called the Recorder's Court and prescribing the jurisdiction thereof."

The draft of the bill as prepared by County Attorney Marsden Bellamy was read by sections, fully discussed and finally passed unanimously with only slight alteration from the original copies, special committees from both boards having previously discussed the proposed bill with the attorney and agreed upon all the salient features. By resolution a joint committee from both boards was appointed to urge the passage of the bill before the Legislature and to go to Raleigh, if necessary, in the interest of the measure. The committee was subsequently named by the Mayor and Chairman of the Commissioners as follows: Messrs. D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers and W.F. Robertson, Alderman O'Brien, Karr and King jointly with County Attorney Marsden Bellamy.

The conference was called to order at 3:30 o'clock and in addition to members of the Board there were also present County Attorney Marsden Bellamy, City Attorney Marsden Bellamy, Jr., City Clerk John J. Fowler, Chief of Police N. J. Williams, Justice G. W. Bornemann, Preston Cumming and Thomas D. Meares, Jr. Esqs. and several citizens. The confernce was organized by calling Mayor Waddell to the chair upon motion of Chairman McEachern of the Board of County Commissioners.

County Attorney Bellamy in beginning the reading of the draft of the bill by request said that there was an erroneous impression abroad that the bill would deprive the justices of the peace and constables from some perquisites of their offices. He would say in the beginning that there was not the slightest infringement upon their rights nor the curtailment of their emoluments.

A synopsis of the bill as agreed upon is as follows: The court shall be one of record and the recorder shall be a licensed attorney of good moral character, whose term of office shall be four years, beginning June 1st, 1907, to be elected in the same manner as Aldermen of the city are elected by the people. The oath prescribed is the same as that taken by Superior Court judges and the salary is fixed at $1,800 per year to be paid jointly by the county and city. There shall be daily sessions of the court, Sundays and holidays excepted. The recorder will have concurrent jurisdiction with the magistrates of the county, jurisdiction exclusive over all city ordinances and jurisdiction over all other crimes below the grade of felony. In the latter respect the bill follows very closely the language of the Supreme Court in the recent decision sustaining the legality of the recorder's court in Asheville and all constitutional limitations are believed to be fully complied with in the light of the decision quoted. Appeals lie in any event to the Superior court. Appeals from magistrates in matters not under their jurisdiction lie first to the Recorder's Court. All costs to magistrates and county officers will go to them as now, processes from the court to run anywhere in the State. The Clerk of the Court is to be appointed by the Recorder, and is required to give $2,500 bond and holds office at the will of the joint boards, subject to removal for cause. Such a clerk is made ex-officio a magistrate of the county during his term of office, the object of this being obvious. His salary is to be fixed and paid by the joint boards and is to receive no fees from the office, which are payable into the fund to be divided with all costs between the city and county, except in cases of arrests and costs accruing from arrests by police officers, who are salaried officers and receive no costs now. The whole of the costs in this respect goes to the city which pays the salaries of the police officers.

The question of the appointment or election of a clerk was the only point of difference among the members present, some being in favor of elect-

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IMMIGRANTS FOR THE SOUTH.

The report of Commissioner General of Immigration Sargeant is attracting wide attention in the United States and a sense of alarm is felt over the fact that a large majority of the more than one million immigrants who arrived in this country at the close of the fiscal year June 30, 1906, are undesirable from the American standpoint. They are specifically undesirable for the South and this part of the country is congratulated that very few of the new comers have chosen the South for their destination. Commenting upon the Commissioner's report, the Atlanta Journal says:

"The report shows that the Southern States that are after desirable settlers are doing well to send their commissioners direct to Europe for them. Experience has demonstrated that the class of immigrants furnished by the agencies of the North and East is not what we want in the South. The part of wisdom is to secure representatives of those races which become most easily Americanized; that is, to say, which are fitted to enter into the spirit of American institutions most rapidly. The experience of the northwest and middle West with immigrants from different parts of Europe has shown that the Irish, the Germans, Danes, Swedes, Norwegians, English, Scots, and the Teutonic, Celtic and Scandinavian peoples in general, are capable of conforming to American ideas and ideals before they have been in this country very long. There are many of them already trained agriculturists and agricultural labor is what the South is seeking. On the other hand, many of the people from Southern Europe, as is shown in the commissioner's report, do not have any taste, as a rule, for agricultural labor. They herd together in the already over-crowded cities of the North. They frequently resist all efforts to educate them in the principles of American government, and it is from this class, generally speaking, that we get our anarchists.

"The Georgia authorities are going about the work of securing desirable colonists for this State in the right way. They realize that it is not wise to invite any people into this part of the country who are not capable of entering into American life in the fullests sense of the word.

"Of those hundreds of thousands of immigrants spoken of in the Federal commissioner's current report, there are probably very few of the class that we want in Georgia. We will simply have to go to Europe to get our own immigrants, and pick them out on the spot."

North Carolina is in the same boat with Georgia, and the other Southern States. We need and want immigration but it must be the right kind. The South Carolina plan of securing immigrants is the one which commends itself to the South. By that plan we pick our immigrants and the idea has been favorably commented upon by the Northern press. A few days ago the Baltimore Sun stated that the industrial and agricultural interests of Maryland demand immigraion, and that superior paper wants the immigrants brought there under the plan South Carolina has inaugurated.

WORLD ALMANAC AND ENCYCLOPEDIA.

An old friend for whose annual appearance The Star always looks with peculiar interest is the New York World Almanac and Enclopedia. This incomparable publication for 1907 has been received and carefully stored away as a never-failing source of information on a great variety of matters. It is a veritable storehouse of knowledge and for the amout of space it compasses we get more valuable information than from any other source. It is a marvel of compilation.

The World Almanac and Enclopedia for 1907 is a one-volume library of information. Concise, comprehensive and complete, it is a marvel of compilation—of good editing. Legislative, election, financial, trade, sporting, atheltic, departmental and educational matters, American and foreign, national and State, are all preesnted in a manner economical of time and nervous irritation.

The professional man, the business man, the young man and the aged, in fact all kinds and conditions of men, will have frequent occasion during the course of the year to refer to the pages of this valuable volume, the contents of which is given in a well-arranged index.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

—A boy in the school is worth a dozen in the poolroom.—Charlotte News.

—Now the Baltimore Sun is urging Maryland to secure farmers after the South Carolina plan. The movement is spreading.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—Mr. Cortelyou insists that where ignorance is Cornelius Bliss, 'tis folly to be wise about campaign contributions.—Atlanta Journal.

—If the blenders of whiskey do not stop their opposition to the pure food law that requires the label to tell the truth, the public may grow suspicious. —Atlanta Journal.

—The "bankrupt" dispensary continues to pay big dividends to the State and many of its cities and counties. That "bankruptcy" story was the silliest canard ever used in a political campaign.—Columbia Record.

—Tillman is in a hole on this Brownsville question. The record is pulled on to him to prove that he himself treated white militia of South Carolina as summarily as Roosevelt did those negro companies. Surely he cannot persist in condemning Roosevelt for following his example—Columbia Record.

—"Dear rice was the order of the day for some months this fall at the walled city of Yunnan," writes a correspondent from a southwestern province of China. "Planting in the paddy fields was prevented by lack of rain and the price went up to 12 taels a teo, that is, to 10 cents a pound. All the usual methods were tried to bring down rains. The viceroy went so far as to ask the gods to take 10 years off his life if he were the cause of the drouth. He also paid a large sum to the Mohammedan mullahs that they might join in the daily prayers for rain. At last the best rainy season in years came and put the people of the province in a good mood."—New Orleans States.

—It has just been discovered that the upheaval of April 18, did funny things to the wells in the courtyard at the rear of the SanFrancisco Mint. For years prior to April 18 these had been ordinary well-behaved wells, yielding water plentifully when a steam pump was employed. But now they are spouting artesian wells from which a steady stream of water flows when no pumping is done. This was discovered yesterday when the pump was taken out for repairs, the courtyard being flooded within a short time The wells were bored many years ago, and are about 175 feet in depth. There was apparently a subterranean connection between them. for the pumping of water from one lowered the water in the other. Normally the water was within 30 feet of the surface, and that was the condition when the pumps were taken out last March. Yesterday was the first time since March the pumps were removed, when it was discovered the water flowed freely.—San Francisco Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—Well Meaning Friend—Why have you never reformed? Mr. Highball—Never reformed? Why I reform every morning.—New York Times.

—Willie—Gee! Do they let you go to swell parties? Gracie—Lots of 'em I'm getting socieier and socieier every day.—Chicago Tribune.

—"It costs a lot to send an expedition to the North Pole," said the scientist. "Oh, I don't know," answered Mr. Cumrox, "not so much more than to go to some of the other summer resorts."—Washington Star.

—Mamma—Howard, why do you eat those cakes so greedily? You have plenty of them. Little Howard—I know. That't why I am afraid my appetite will be gone before the cakes are.

—"They claim that by means of modern surgery bad boys may be rendered good." "I'll stick to the old-fashioned kind." "What's that?" "Skinning 'em alive."—Louisville Cou-

—What Scared Him—Mrs. Bacon—My boy has been afraid of the dark ever since he was a child. Mrs. Egbert—How do you account for that? Mrs. Bacon—You see his father used to sing to him every night when it was growing dark.—Yonkers Statesman.

—The Trouble—Sunday School Teacher—Who was it that the whale swallowed? Tommy—Why-er-er—Sunday School Teacher—Come now, that's an easy question. Tommy—Oh, it aint the question that bothers me; it's the answer.—Philadelphia Ledger.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

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Kenansville, Kenansville	Jan. 5-6
Burgaw, Wallace	Jan 12-13
Magnolia, Rose Hill	Jan. 13-14
Scott's Hill, Prospect	Jan 19
Wilmington, Grace	Jan 20
Wilmington, Bladen Street	Jan 20
Town Creek, Bethel	Jan 26-27
Shallotte, Sharon	Feb 2-3
Carver's Creek, Hebron	Feb 9-10
White and Chadbourn, Whiteville	Feb 10-11
New River, Snead's Ferry (Night)	Feb 14
Jacksonville and Richlands, Rich	Feb. 16-17
Columbus, Boardman	Feb 23-24
Clinton, Clinton	Mar 2-3
Southport	Mar 9-10
Onslow, Queen's Creek	Mar. 16-17

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A CONVICT AND A GENTLEMAN

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It was a calm starlight night, and when I came on duty at 10 o'clock the captain and his family had turned in. There was nothing for my watch to do except in the case of the man on the lookout, and all except him and the man who stood by the wheel in a perfunctory way were soon sprawled out and asleep. Within the hour I believe that we all slept. If I slept at all, of which I am not sure, it was less than ten minutes by the cabin clock. I was suddenly aroused by some one touching my arm, and I at once responded:

"Well, what is it?"

I spoke before I turned to the man at my side. When I wheeled on him I saw a stranger. He stood there with his cap in hand, and drawn up across the deck were fourteen other men, all dressed as French convicts. Every man removed his cap and bowed to me, and as I stood staring the one who had touched me quietly said:

"Sir, we have come aboard."

"But what is it—who are you?" I asked as our voices aroused the man at the wheel.

"Our boat is alongside, sir. We are escaped convicts from Cayenne. We did not hail you, and we came aboard without noise. We have been a night and two days at sea. May I hope that our advent will disturb no one?"

"Good God, but we are captured by convicts!" I groaned as I finally realized the situation.

"And a worse thing might have happened," he replied, with a laugh. "We haven't the slightest intention of capturing your craft. Our only desire is to work our passage to the north. We have quite a quantity of provisions aboard our boat, and you will find us obeying orders and maintaining the best of discipline."

I descended to the cabin and aroused the captain and in whispers informed him of what had happened. He was of an excitable nature, and if I had not clapped my hand over his mouth he would have aroused the women with his exclamations. I had to tell him over and over again that the convicts offered no violence and that their leader seemed to have them under perfect control before I could quiet him. He was shaking like a leaf when we gained the deck, and he afterward told me that he expected nothing less than to be murdered out of hand.

"So this is the captain?" softly asked the convict leader. "Let me reassure you, sir. There shall be no violence here. You are as safe as if in your own home ashore."

"But you—you are convicts!" exclaimed the captain as he looked around upon the gang.

"Unfortunately, yes, but it does not follow that we are beasts and brutes. Some of us may not have been guilty of the crimes charged. I alone can speak your language. I am the leader. Every man will obey my slightest word. All we ask is that you give us a passage to the north."

"How far to the north?"

"To any of the English islands in the West Indies."

The man was speaking fairly, and when one looked at him there could be no mistake that he had been gentle born. He had the face and speech of an aristocrat. His followers were more common looking men, but their faces were not evil. The captain's excitement quieted down after a little and he reasoned it out that it was best to give way. Indeed, there was no other conclusion for a sensible man to come to. He looked at me and I gave him a nod, and then he said:

"I will take you along and trust in what you say."

"And I pledge you my word you shall have no cause to regret it," replied the leader as he extended his hand. "As the weather is fine my men can occupy the decks. I have a few words to say to them."

With a gesture he called them around him, and then for five minutes he spoke in low but earnest tones. As he used the French language we could not understand a word, and yet it was plain that he was giving them orders and advice. While he was speaking I suggested to the captain that he be invited to occupy a spare berth in the cabin, and this was acceded to. When the invitation was extended he accepted it as his due, but with many thanks, and introduced himself as Mr. Lafoy. Our sleeping watch was roused up, the convicts' boat unloaded and sent adrift, explanations made and all done so quietly that the sleeping women were not aroused. The first they knew of the affair was at breakfast time. Meanwhile the calm was broken.

In the morning watch I carried one of my suits of clothes to Lafoy's stateroom, along with a razor and other things. When he came out to breakfast and was introduced he was all gentleman and no convict. He was a good talker and a natural entertainer, and the women, who had expected to meet a villain, were on friendly footing within a quarter of an hour.

As for the other convicts, our men fraternized with them at once. Some of them were sailors and they promptly turned to. Between our crew and the captain's slop chest all were fitted out in other dress and their uniforms thrown overboard. We had the crowd with us for three weeks, and never a man during that whole time caused us the slightest trouble.

As for Lafoy, all took the greatest liking to him and were sorry when the time came to part. Just where we left them is a matter not to be betrayed, but they did not go from us empty handed, and a chance was given them to live better lives in the future.

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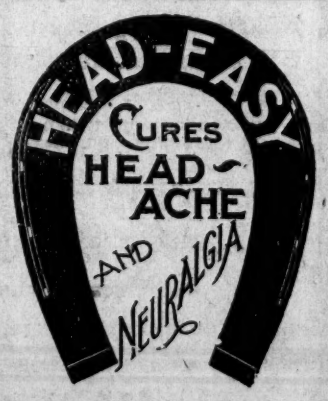

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We feel that we are controlling the best trade in Wilmington in this department. Our stock is very large and our assortment is most complete. It does not grow old or shop-worn, but if it does not sell readily there is a price put on it which does sell it. The stock is new, fresh and clean and we have a lot of new styles to show.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv Wilmington	9.00 a m	6.35 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12.23 p m	9.32 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1.49 p m	11.15 p m
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 p m
Ar Norfolk	6.05 p m	
Ar Wilson	1.07 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4.05 a m	12.27 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	3.00 a m

SOUTHBOUND

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	3.12 p m	2.32 a m
Ar Washington	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar Wilson	11.40 p m	2.15 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6.58 a m	3.12 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10.18 a m	6.10 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv Wilm'ton	5.40 am	3.35 pm	6.35 pm
Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
Ar Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa		7.10 pm	10.?? am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12.28 am	1.54 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9.10 am	Ar 8.13 pm
Lv Fayetteville	12.35 pm	Ar 4.55 pm
Lv Sanford	3.40 pm	Ar 1.55 pm

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Lv Wilmington	2.25 pm	Ar 12.40 pm
Ar Newbern	5.55 pm	Lv 9.10 am

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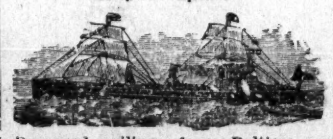

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To The Beach.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE.

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Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville	Leave Beach
x 7.00 a m	x6.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.15 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	6.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	8.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

xDaily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

Cars leaving Wilmington at 7 a. m., 8.30 A. m,, 8.00 p. m. and 9.30 p. m. will not run beyond Wrightsville unless there are passengers for the Beach.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

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Lv Phila.	2:55 PM	Lv	1:45 PM
Lv Baltimore	5:07 PM	Lv	11:32 AM
Lv Washington	6:25 PM	Lv	10:10 AM
Lv Richmond	10:00 PM	Lv	6:45 AM
Lv Raleigh	3:10 AM	Lv	1:50 AM
Ar Hamlet	6:30 AM	Lv	10:20 AM
Lv Hamlet	7:35 AM	Ar	7:35 AM
Ar Wilmington	12.25 PM	Lv	2:50 PM

Between Wilmongton, Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.

Lv Wilmington	2:50 PM	Ar	12:25 PM
Ar Hamlet	7:35 PM	Lv	7:35 AM
Lv Hamlet	10:40 PM	Ar	6:30 AM
Lv Raleigh	1:50 AM	Ar	5:10 AM
Lv Raleigh	1:50 AM	Ar	5:10 AM
Ar Portsmouth	8:15 AM	Lv	8:30 PM

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

Lv Wilmington	2:50 PM	Ar	12:25 PM
Ar Hamlet	7:35 PM	Lv	7:35 AM
Lv Hamlet	10:00 PM	Ar	6:50 AM
Ar Monroe	11:50 PM	Lv	5:15 AM
Lv Monroe	11:50 PM	Ar	5:10 AM
Ar Atlanta	7:45 AM	Lv	9:00 PM
Lv Atlanta	7:45 AM	Ar	7:45 PM
Ar Birmingham	1:10 PM	Lv	2:25 PM

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa.

Lv Wilmongton	2:50 PM
Ar Hamlet	7:35 PM
Lv Hamlet	10:05 PM
Lv Columbia	12:30 AM
Lv Savannah	4:50 AM
Lv Jacksonville	10:00 AM
Ar Tampa	6:35 PM

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Lv Wilmington	2:50 PM	4:20 AM
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Lv Monroe	9:55 PM	
Ar Charlotte	10:00 PM	
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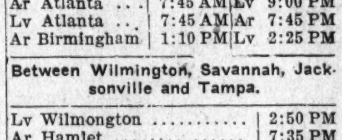

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Wednesday January 9, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, Jan. 9, 1907.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Tuesday, January 8.

Temperature at 8 A. M. 53 degrees; at 8 P. M. 60 degrees; maximum 74 degrees; minimum 53 degrees; mean 64 degrees.

Rainfall for the day .0; rainfall since the first of the month to date .0 inches

Stage of water in Cape Fear River at Fayetteville 8 A. M. Monday 5.3 feet.

Forecast.

For North Carolina—Rain Wednesday, except fair on coast; Thursday fair, colder, fresh west to northwest winds.

Port Almanac—January 9, 1907.

Sun Rises	7:10 A M
Sun Sets	5:06 P M
Deys length	9 hrs 53 min
High water at Southport	3:08 P M
High water at Wilmington	5:38 P M

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Richard Grant returned yesterday to Sewanee University.

—Mr. J. M. Cain left yesterday morning for a business trip to Norfolk.

—Miss Anna Dawes Whitehead has returned to Salem Female College to resume her studies.

—Mr. Louis Orrell left yesterday for West Point to enter the U. S. Military Academy.

—Miss Margaret Nash left yesterday for Tarboro to spend some time with friends and relatives.

—Messrs Clayton Smith and Thomas F. Wood have returned to the University after spending the holidays at home.

—Miss Etta Huggins, of Camden, S. C., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. A. Smith, 115 Dock street, returned yesterday to her home.

—Mr. W. H. Banck, who has been at home spending the holidays with his parents, returned to the A. & M. College at Raleigh yesterday.

—Capt. P. L. Breeden and Col. C. S. McCall, prominent bankers and citizens of Bennettsville, S. C., spent yesterday in the city on business.

—Mr. W. D. McCallum, of the firm of McCallum Brothers & Baker, of Rowland, N. C., was in the city yesterday making business calls.

—Rev. J. T. Stanford, of the Scott's Hill circuit, was in the city yesterday and was a guest last night of the Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor of the Bladen Street M. E. Church.

—Mr. W. R. Guion, the popular traveling salesman for the F. S. Royster Guano Co., of Norfolk, passed through the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Miss Marie Louise Evans, daughter of Mr. DeLancey Evans, returned to Washington, D. C., yesterday morning after a brief visit to Mrs. Thos. Evans, of this city.

—Misses Mattie and Olivia Horne, who spent the holidays with their grandmother and uncle at Magnolia, and their brother, at Rocky Mount, have returned to the city.

TWO MERRY NIGHTS.

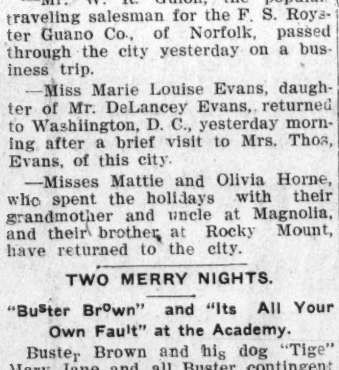
"Buster Brown" and "Its All Your Own Fault" at the Academy.

Buster Brown and his dog "Tige" Mary Jane and all Buster contingent of girls of various kinds will be the attraction at the Academy to-morrow matinee and night and incidental to the coming of Buster it will be of interest to note how many fond parents of the community will be smitten as they are when a circus comes to town that is with the "Oh, I've got to go and take the children." Its a happy excuse for dad, but watch him when he gets inside and see if he don't enjoy the performance more than the kids, of course he had come to bring the children. Its an old excuse, but you never saw a parent who martyred himself in this way that didn't rake off his share of the fun. Seats will go on sale this morning for both performances and general admission tickets for the matinee can be purchased as well.

When Edward R. Salter's Company, headed by Charles J. Stine and Olive Evans in "It's all Your Fault," the latest New York comedy hit from the Savoy theatre comes to the Academy Friday night to be tremendously amused by a young actor bearing the front name of Pincus, who, according to the new York critics, is the most gifted young laugh-maker in the business. Young Pincus' last name sounds like an explosion of gasoline. It is one of those Persian names in six syllables you always skip when you see delicatessen signs. The unpronouncable Pincus is quite as broad as he is long and is said to be excrutiatingly funny. Seats go on sale to-morrow.

How to Cure Chilblains.

"To enjoy freedom from chilblains," writes John Kemp, East Otisfield, Me., "I apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Have also used it, for sale rheum with excellent results." Guaranteed to cure fever sores, indolent ulcers, piles, burns, wounds, frost bites, and skin dieases. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.



LOCAL DOTS.

—The local cotton market advanced to 10 3-8 cents for middling yesterday. Spirits turpentine was firm at 67 1-2 cents, a quarter higher than Savannah.

—S. Manning, a seaman from the British steamer England, was locked up at the police station by Officer C. G. Jones yesterday, charged with desertion.

—County Treasurer Green yesterday received from the State Auditor's check for $1,064.96, the same being New Hanover's share of the first $100,000 sepcial appropriation by the Legislature for the public schools of the State.

—The revenue cutter Seminole has been ordered by the Department to proceed in search of the overdue steamer Ponce, which is several days overdue with a number of passengers on board, an account of which appears in the telegraphic columns of the Star to-day.

—The gymnasium classes at the Boys' Brigade armory will start to-night at 8 o'clock and the class in "First aid to the Injured" by Dr. Morris Caldwell will begin at 9 o'clock. The night school reopened after the holidays last night with a good attendance.

—The brig Alcaea, with cargo of poplar wood for Philadelphia; the barque Hancock light for Georgetown, S. C., and the schooner John J. Hansen, with cargo of lumber from the Angola mill for New York, cleared yesterday, the vessels being by C. D. Maffitt.

—Telegrams received here yesterday bring the sad intelligence that Mr. Joseph M. Cronly is dangerously sick at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y. Further advices are anxiously awaited by friends and relatives. The absence of any further news last night was construed by members of the family to mean that Mr. Cronly was better.

—The Convocation of Wilmington will meet in St. John's church to-day at 11 A. M., for its corporate communion. The sermon will be by the Rev. L. G. H. Williams, rector of Christ's Church, Newbern. The public is cordially invited and all members of "The Woman's Auxiliary" are urged to attend.

—"Black Diamond" and all-around bad negro wanted at Hamlet, N. C., was arrested yesterday afternoon at Fourth and Nixon streets by Officer C. E. Wood and the Richmond county sheriff was telegraphed to come for the prisoner. The negro had recently pawned a Colt's pump gun or pocket rifle with which he was armed when he came to the city.

—Mr. Robert H. Northrop yesterday qualified as Alderman before City Clerk and Treasurer Fowler, taking and subscribing to the oath of office as per his election to fill the vacancy on Monday night. He exercised his first function as an Alderman yesterday afternoon by participating in the conference on the Recorder's Court bill. He is popular and will make a good alderman.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Which Appear From Record Filed Yesterday.

C. G. Bryan to Katherine Bryan, for $35, property containing 7.1 acres of land in the county. William M. Bellamy to John D. Bellamy, for $700 property at southeast corner of Eighth and Nixon streets, 60x130 feet in size, more or less. William L. Smith and wife to Samuel Bear and Isaac Bear for $200, property on west side of Eighth, 99 feet south of Dawson street 33x165 feet in size. John R. Hanby and wife to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, for $500; property on east side of MacRae, 66 feet north of Fanning street, 33x96 feet in size, more or less. William Sheehan and wife and John Sheehan to E. N. Firestone and wife, for $10 and other valuable considerations, property on north side of church, 55 feet west of Seventh, 27 1-2x133 feet in size.

William Sheehan, Sr. and wife to John Sheehan, for $10 and other considerations, property on north side of church, 82 1-2 feet west of Seventh street, 27 1-2x122 feet in size.

Cameron F. MacRae to John R. Hanby and wife for $806, four tracts of land on east side of MacRae, 66 feet north of Fanning street, south side of Greenfield near Thirteenth; on Purvines Creek in Masonboro township and on west side of Ninth near Castle.

Ringing In the Ears.

"Ringing" in the ears is a most peculiar condition. It is interesting to learn that, though the brain so distinctly receives an impression of sound, there is really no sound at all. The sensation is produced by derangement of the nerves of the ear, caused by poor circulation or such pressure and interference as come from hardened, excessive wax, boils, etc. Some one oddly remarked that when the ears were ringing they were "insane." Truly, they carry wrong impressions to the brain. They record things that do not happen.

A Weather Stone.

A writer tells of a curious stone that is to be found in Finland. It is a natural barometer and actually foretells probable changes in the weather. It is called a semakuir, and its peculiarity is that it turns black before approaching rain, while in fine weather it is mottled with spots of white. Investigation has shown the stone to be a sort of fossil, mixed with clay, rock salt and niter. When the air is moist, the salt turns black; when the air is dry, the salt shows in white spots on the surface of the stone.

Self Respect.

There is no one thing so necessary for one's real advancement in life as a thorough self respect. You must think well of yourself, or others will not respect you.—Success Magazine.

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RECORDER'S COURT

(Continued From First Page)

ing the clerk and others being in favor of having him appointed by the Recorder who should alone be responsible for the operation of the court. The matter was finally agreed to allowing the Recorder to appoint his own clerk, but making them subject to removal for cause by the joint boards.

At this juncture of the consideration of the bill, Justice Bornemann arose from his seat and taking a position at the rail, asked permission to ask Mr. Bellamy a question. "Why should this Recorder be a lawyer?" inquired the justice. "For the same reason that Superior Court justices are lawyers," quickly answered Mr. Bellamy. The "Judge" with a deferential wave of the hand bowed himself out of the room.

In case of a vacancy in the office of the Recorder, the two Boards shall elect a successor having an equal representation in the voting numerically and each member of the boards having a right to his vote or fractional part thereof. The Recorder is removable in like manner by the two Boards, after due notice of the charges and full opportunity to be heard. In case of the Recorder's absence by reason of sickness or other cause, he shall appoint a reputable licensed attorney to hold court in his stead and shall pay him a salary of $5 a day out of his own salary. The schedule of costs are the game as before magistrates and the clerk of the Superior Court to be disposed of as indicated above. The books of the clerk are subject to audit by committees from the joint boards and returns are to be made of all funds properly every 10 days.

When the bill had been adopted Chairman McEachern spoke in favor of the measure, saying that few people not intimately acquainted with the affairs of the county, knew what a great saving the bill would be to the county and incidentally to the city.

As the conference was about to adjourn Alderman O'Brien asked if there were not some other matters of legislation that should be taken up. He thought some changes were needed in the laws pertaining to the streets and he understood there was some agitation to have members of the Board of Audit and Finance elected by the people. It was explained that those were matters for the city alone and the Commissioners and Aldermen were then in joint conference. The other matters could be taken up later by the city committee. The conference then adjourned sine die and the Recorder's Court bill will be forwarded at once to the General Assembly.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

A. L. Petree M. D., of Greensboro, N. C., is Exclusively Retained by The Keeley Institute of That City.

Onward and upward is the policy of the management of The Keeley Institute at Greensboro, North Carolina. For several years it has been the desire of this well known institute to augment its forces for good by the installation of modern physical appliances for the treatment of neurasthenia or nerve exhaustion, but it was impossible until the magnificent new annex was completed. The parent Institute at Dwight, Illinois, has long been supplied with modern appliances for the treatment of nerve exhaustion and The Keeley Institute at Greensboro, which treats more patients each year than any Institute save the one at Dwight, makes the gratifying announcement that it has secured the exclusive services of Dr. A. L. Petree, a well known physician and specialist in nervous diseases, together with all the latest devices which he has been using in his private sanitarium in Greensboro for the past several years.

Dr. Petree has been for some time the emergency physician for The Keeley Institute at Greensboro, and commencing with this year he has been induced to accept a proposition from The Keeley Institute at Greensboro which means that all his time and skill will hereafter be devoted to the patients in line there. The Keeley Institute has for several years sent patients to Dr. Petree, those suffering from nerve exhaustion and complicated nervous troubles, and it occurred to the management that to have the sanitarium and the Keeley treatment under the same roof and under the direction of a physician of Dr. Petree's unquestioned ability would be a long step forward. Before becoming the emergency physician Dr. Petree visited Dwight, Illinois, and at the parent institute received his instructions, and is therefore fully equipped to take charge of the regular line of Keeley patients and at the same time to make a specialty of treatment of patients suffering from nervous troubles.

This new departure, while not in any way interfering with the regular Keeley treatment, reinforced the Institute and gives as an adjunct a first class sanitarium where the best treatment possible to be obtained will be administered and it, of course, means increased business for The Keeley Institute at Greensboro, and decreasing suffering for mankind.

In this connection the information is given that last year considerably over 300 patients were in line at The Keeley Institute, at Greensboro, North Carolina, and with increased facilities—the new building, the sanitarium and other general improvements constantly being made, it is reasonable to presume that the attendance this year will be larger than ever before.

With increased facilities, women who are suffering from nerve exhaustion or excess in the use of drugs will be cared for, and arrangements have been made that they may come for treatment and be comfortably located, privately, without the knowledge of the general public.

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When a Man Lies.

"If you want to tell whether or not the man you are talking to is telling the truth, don't look him in the eyes," said a Denver bank teller to some friends last night. "I thought it was just the other way," said one of those present. "I've always understood that it made it harder for the liar if you looked squarely in his eyes." "That's a wrong impression," continued the bank teller. "The man who knows how to lie knows how to look you in the eyes when he's doing it. And the man who isn't a regular liar, but who has made up his mind to lie to you, decides first that he must look you straight in the eyes. It is the voice, when you don't look at the eyes, that ells you whether the other fellow is lying. We use the system frequently in the bank. A man will come in to tell us some business tale. We look at his feet or his hands or his knees, but never in his eyes. If he's telling the truth his voice will be firm and straightforward, and the absence of your gaze in his eyes will not affect it, but if he's lying he'll be confused by your action, and his voice will tremble. He'll hem and haw and clear his throat. You may rest assured then that he's stringing you."—Denver Post.

Rare Ben Jonson.

The epitaph, "O Rare Ben Jonson," engraved on the tablet marking the burial place of the celebrated playwright in the "poets' corner," Westminster abbey, is said to have originated with Jack Young (afterward knighted), who, "walking there when the grave was covering, gave the fellow 18 pence to cut it." Dr. Brewer in his "Phrase and Fable" says Shakespeare called Jonson "Rare Ben," but does not say where. According to Chambers' "Book of Days," the phrase formed the concluding words of the verses written and displayed in the clubroom of Ben's clique at the famous Mermaid tavern. The epithet "Rare Ben Jonson" is said to have been first uttered after the appearance of his highly successful farce, "Bartholomew Fair." The epitaph has been copied once at least. When Sir William Davenant was interred in Westminster abbey the inscription on his covering stone was "O Rare Sir William Davenant."

Deception of Wild Birds.

Falcons—hawks, the largest species—can compress their features and look very thin if they think it necessary to do so. As to the owls, they can hump into any position they think most suitable. It is useless to look for these self preserving traits in any of the family kept in zoological collections, for the birds are so accustomed to see large numbers of people passing and repassing or standing in front of them that they treat the whole matter with perfect indifference. They know that at a certain time their food will be brought to them and that they are otherwise perfectly safe. The raptures in a wild state have a bloom on their plumage, like the bloom on a bunch of grapes, which is not so often seen when in captivity.

A Train For Tyler.

During Mr. Tyler's incumbency of the presidential office he arranged to make an excursion in some direction and sent his son Bob to arrange for a special train. It happened that the railroad superintendent was a strong Whig. As such he had no favors to bestow on the president and informed Bob that his road did not run any special trains for the president. "What!" said Bob. "Did you not furnish a special train for the funeral of President Harrison?" "Yes," said the superintendent, "and if you'll bring your father in that condition you shall have the best train on the road."

A Canton Clock.

The famous clepsydra or watch clock of Canton is housed in a temple on the city walls. Three big earthen jars on successive shelves and a fourth and lowest one with a wooden cover constitute the whole clepsydra. The water descends by slow drops from one jar to another, the brass scale on a float in the last jar telling the hours as it rises. Every afternoon at 5 o'clock since 1321 A. D. the lowest jar has been emptied, the upper one filled and the clock thus wound up for another day.

Iron In the System.

It is often said that there is iron enough in the system of an ordinary man to make a plowshare. The statement is exceedingly wide of the truth. The amount of iron contained in the animal tissues of a man weighing 150 pounds is about 100 grains, or a quarter of an ounce. Yet so important is even this small amount to the system that a difference of a few grains more or less may produce serious constitutional disturbance.

A Dilemma.

"Then, Maurizio, tomorrow I will come with my wife to see you both."

"Delighted! But look here. Tell your wife not to wear her new diamond earrings or my wife will at once want a pair."

"Oh, the mischief! And my wife was only coming for the purpose of showing them off."—Il Diavolo Rosa.

It Couldn't Be.

Dean Farrar quotes Tennyson as having related to him the remark of a farmer who, after hearing a fire and brimstone sermon from an old style preacher, consoled his wife by saying: "Never mind, Sally, that must be wrong. No constitooshun couldn't stand it."

America's Failings.

America has little of the economic sagacity of England, intellectual acumen of Germany or social rhythm of France.—A. E. Winship in Armenia.

ATTAR OF ROSES.

How This Delicious and Expensive Perfume Is Made.

The word "attar" is from the Arab "itr" and means perfume. So attar of roses is simply perfume of roses. It is brought from Turkey and the East Indies in small vials and is very costly. Even on the spot where it is manufactured it is extremely dear, because it requires 100,000 well grown roses to yield but 180 grains of attar.

Its high price causes it to be often adulterated with some essential or fixed oil or with spermaceti. However, the adulteration may be detected by testing it in a watch glass with a drop of sulphuric acid. If the attar be pure it will remain colorless, for pure attar of roses is colorless, but if it be adulterated it will become darkened.

In rose fields, where the roses are grown for the purpose of making the attar, the bushes are planted in rows. In the early morning they are laden with beautiful roses, but ere noon comes they are all gathered and their petals distilled in clay stills, with twice their weight of water.

The water that "comes over" is put into perfectly clean vessels and is then carefully covered with damp muslin clothes to keep out dust and insects. It is afterward exposed to the night air or to artificial cold. By morning a film is swept off with a feather and very carefully transferred to a small vial. Night after night this process is repeated until all of the precious oil is separated from the water.

BUSINESS SENSE.

A Well Ordered Desk Means a Well Ordered Mind.

"There's one piece of advice," said the senior partner, "that I'd like to give every young man taking a business position with a desk attached to it. It's this: Keep your desk clean. What I mean by having a desk clean is keeping everything possible off it except that which is related to the matter in hand. I've observed in my time a good many men in their offices, and I can say that with very few exceptions the real men of affairs are those who are free from clutter.

"With a lot of papers in front of you it's almost a certainty that some hour in the day you're going to be flustered, and very likely it will be just when you want a clear head. The old idea that a mass of material every which way on the desk is a sign that a person is full of business is pretty well outworn. Such a collection not only indicates a lack of order, but also is a sign that nervousness may be expected from the man in the chair. What with filing cabinets and other devices no excuse can be offered nowadays for confusion.

"A well ordered desk means a well ordered mind, a mind taking up one thing at a time and giving it the proper attention. It denotes regularity and concentrated, effective effort."—New York Press.

Easy Going Dutch Spelling.

In the good old days when the Dutch were supreme in the administration of the affairs of New Amsterdam everybody knew everybody else, and it mattered little how proper names were spelled. Modern lawyers and civil service reformers would be shocked at the orthographical freedom of the clerks of the burgomaster's court of those times. Here is a sample case taken from the old Dutch records in which the name of a plaintiff is spelled five different ways:

In a case before the court in 1655 Jan "Hackins" is a complainant against the inspector of tobacco, who has certified to Jan "Hockins" that the tobacco was good. The inspector says in his defense that he inspected the tobacco at the request of Jan "Haeckins" on June 26, and aforesaid "Hagins" kept the barrel of tobacco until the 30th without finding out that it was bad. Then Jan "Hakins" has something else to say in the case.

The Charm of a Smile.

A beautiful smile is as potent in the drawing room as on the stage. Every woman can count among her acquaintances the favored few who possess the gift—not a studied, conventional smile that simply tightens the lips across the teeth, but the quick, responsive expression that springs first into the eyes and then to the lips. Another noticeable feature of this gleam of sunshine, which transforms the plainest face and can transfigure the most commonplace surroundings, is that it leaves the features as quickly as it appears.

He Was a Man.

A Scot of Peebles said to his friend MacAndrew, "Mac, I hear ye have fallen in love wi' bonny Kate McAlister."

"Weel, Sanders," Mac replied, "I was near—verry near—daein' it, but the bi lassie had nae siller, so I said to myself, 'Mac, be a mon.' And I was a mon, and noo I pass her by wi' silent contempt."

Traitor to Her Sex.

"Oh, she's not at all nice," said little Elsie. "She's always wishin' she was a boy."

"Well," replied Mabel, "I wish I was too."

"I know, but she wishes it out loud, so the boys can hear her."—Philadelphia Press.

The Battle of Life.

No man lives without jostling and being jostled. In all ways he has to elbow himself through the world, giving and taking offense. His life is a battle in so far as it is an entity at all. —Carlyle.

A Diplomat.

The Child—Mother, which had I better do, go to school in the rain and get soaking wet and probably catch cold and die or just simply get an absent mark against my name?—Exchange.

Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Co.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

Wilmington, N. C., Jan., 1, 1907.
Office of the Treasurer,
Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.

At a meeting of the Board of directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, duly called and held on November 20th, 1906, a dividend of three per cent was declared on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., January 10th, 1907, to all stockholders of record as of December 21st, 1906. The transfer books were closed December 21st, 1906, at three o'clock P. M., and will be reopened on Thursday, January 10th, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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It is with much pleasure that we take this oportunity of extending to you our "Compliments of the Season," and wish for you a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

It is needless to say that we sincerely trust our relations in the future will be mutually beneficial, profitable and pleasant in every way, and now assure you anew that our services and facilities are always at your command, when we will be pleased to give the same our best and prompt attention.

Again, with best wishes, we beg to remain, Yours very truly,

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Big Reduction in Prices for Ten Days Only Beginning

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2ND

Ending Saturday, January 12th. Owing to late deliveries of several of our shipments we are overstocked for this season of the year and must make room for our large stock of spring shoes which will commence arriving the latter part of this month.

Entire Stock of Shoes at and Below Cost.

$5.00 Men's Pat Kid Shoes $3.95
$4.00 Men's Pat Colt Shoes $2.95
$4.00 Men's Gun Metal Shoes $2.95

Blucher Bals and Buttons.

$3.50 Men's Vici Kid Bluchers $2.75
$3.50 Men's Pl. Glo. Bal and Cong. $2.75
$3.00 Men's Box Calf Gun Metal and Vici $2.45
$2.50 Men's Box Calf Gun Metal and Vici $1.95

Boys' Department

$3.00 Boys Pat Lea Gun Metal and Vici $2.35
$2.00 Boys Pat Lea Gun Metal and Vici $1.65
$1.50 Boys' Vici Bals $1.20
$1.50 Boys' Satin Calf Bluchers $1.20

Youth's Department.

$2.00 Youths Pat Bluchers $1.65
$2.00 Youths Gun Metal and Box Calf .. $1.65
$1.50 Youths' Vici and Box Calf Lace $120

Little Gents.

$1.75 Little Gents' Pat and Vici Bluchers $1.40
All of these are the latest styles.
$1.50 Little Gents Box Calf and Vici $1.20

$3.50 Ladies' Shoes; College cut, Button and Lace Bluchers $2.75
$3.00 Ladies' Pat, Button and Blucher Heavy or Light Soles $2.45
$3.00 Ladies' Vici Kid Handsewed Blucher or Lace $2.35
$2.00 and $2.50 Ladies Vici Kid Blucher and Lace, heavy or single sole $1.65
$2.50 Lace Pat Colt Pumps all sizes and widths $1.95
$1.25 Ladies' Felt Slippers 95c

Misses' and Children's Department.

$2.50 Handsewed Pat Colt Blucher and Button; all widths $1.95
$2.00 Misses Dongola hand sowed Blucher or Button; all widths $1.65
$1.50 Misses Button and Lace $1.20
$2.00 Childrens' Pat. hand sewed Button and Blucher $1.65
$2.00 Child's Hand Sewed Vici Kid Button and Blucher $1.65
$1.50 Child's Vici Blucher $1.20
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1.50 Axminister Carpets, sewed and layed, this week $1.20
1.20 Sultan Velvets, Parlor, Hall and Stair laid 1.10
1.15 Dody Brussels Rooms, Hall and Stairs ..... .95
1.00 Brussels Carpet, Rooms, Hall and Stairs ..... .85
A lot of odd lengths in Brussels Carpets 50c and 60c.
30.00 Axminister Art Squares 9x12, this week $25.00
25.00 Axminister Art Squares 9x12, this week 22.50
12.50 Wool and Fiber 9x12 Art Squares this week 11.00
12.00 All Fiber Art Squares 9x12 this week 10.00
50c Fiber Carpet, sewed and laid this week, per yard, ... .35

CLOAK AND SUIT ROOM NEWS.

We want to reduce our large stock of Ladies' Coats and Coat Suits Prices like these should clean them all out:

12.00 Black and Navy Blue Cheviots Suits this week $10.00
18.00 Broadcloth Suits, Noby Styles, this week 15.00
20.00 Broadcloth Suits Neatly made, and trimmed, only 17.50
25.00 Suits, Fancy Mixed Materials and Cloths this week 20.00
30.00 Suits, all Shade Chiffon Broadcloth this week 25.00
35.00 Suits, Mixtures and Broadcloth, this week 28.50

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Maxton Chief.—Maxton has invested $60,000 in new buildings during the past year, and $200,000 worth of improvements of various kinds are actually in sight for 1907. The people of Maxton are to be commended for the manner in which they are able to pull all together when it comes to a question of moral and industrial advancement.

—Wilson, Jan., 7.—This afternoon about 3 o'clock a negro shot and fatally wounded another negro on the corner of Spring and South streets, names of parties and cause of shooting not being known. The negro who was shot died tonight at the alms house. Witnesses to the killing say there was no quarrel, but that the slayer drew his gun and fired on the vistim. He escaped.

—Maxton Chief: Mr. J. R. Boyd, general manager of the Carolina Telephone and Telegraph Co., was here Tuesday in the interset of the telephone business. This company operates the Maxton system, and Mr. Boyd informed us that they propose to make some extensive improvements in the service at this place. We also hear from another source that the Bell Company is making an effort to secure control of the Carolina Company's entire system.

—Charlotte Observer.—The opening of the new Selwyn Hotel will take place the first of February. On the 29th of this month a great ball will be given by the management. This german will be in the nature of a house warming. Several hundred invitations will be issued and all the guests will be shown over the hotel. The dancing will take place in the large banquet hall on the second floor Preparations are already being made for this opening ball. It promises to be one of the social events of the Winter season.

—Lumberton Robesonian.—Mr. B. W. Lovett was in town Saturday and gave an account of what he and his hunting associates—Ed Stevens and B. L. Britt—had done for the deer this season. The season is open during November and December. During these two months the party killed thirteen. They hunt in the region from the river to the Big Swamp. Mr. Lovett says this is the best season he has had for killing deer and thinks that if it had been a little longer he could have reduced the number considerably more.

—High Point, Jan., 7.—The first intelligence of the arrest of Nat Crump the noted Davidson county desperado, came to Sheriff Parrish, of this place, this afternoon from Elijah Walford, chief of police at Thacker, W. Va., asking what to do with the man. Sheriff Parrish immediately wired the Lexington officers and also the officers in West Virginia to hold the man until some one arrived there. Crump terrorized the people around Lexington for many months after his escape from the penitentiary. Crump is the negro that tried to assault Clay Grubb some time ago.

—Durham, Jan., 7.—Spit has been instituted against the Endowment Rank Knights of Pythias on account of the insurance policy carried in that company by the late Dr. W. B. Matthews, whose horrible crime of wife murder in Greensboro, his subsequent trial, conviction and then his suicide when the decision of the lower court was confirmed by the Supreme Court, made the case one of the most famous in the history of the State. He carried a policy for $2,000 in this company and payment had been refused on account of the fact, as alleged, that Dr. Matthews was a dope fiend.

—Asheveille, Jan., 7.—The incomplete $250,000 Smith estate hotel, located at the corner of North Main and College streets, will be sold at public auction Monday, February 4, between the hours of 12 M and 2 P. M. All work on the structure has been suspended pending the action of the commissioner under instructions from the court. It is understood that considerable interest is being manifest in the disposal of the concrete-frame structure and the ground on which it stands by both local and foreign capitalists, and it would occasion no surprise if the highest bid at the time of the sale netted some profit to the promoters of the building. If the bid at the time of the sale is satisfactory to the interests involved and the court it will be comfirmed and probably later tested in the Supreme Court to make good the title. Then work will be resumed and the building finished and made ready for occupancy.

—Salisbury, Jan., 7.—Guy W. Cox, of Boston, today took over the Union Copper Mine, which went under the auctioneer's hammer for $175,000. The mine was thrown into receivership by Judge Ferguson's order in November, and B. B. Miller was appointed receiver. It is a property that consists of about 553 acres, and has an equipment equal to the demands made by the large force of workmen. For the past two years, under the management of H. L. Griswold, it has made good money for its owners, and under Mr. Miller's incumbency as receiver it has not failed one time to pay all of the employes and the merchants having to do with it. A fine grade of copper ore, and of supply unlimited, if there is anything in the present yield, has characterized the operations for the past two years and the reorganization of the company is expected to revolutionize the mining business at Gold Hill.

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WILMINGTON, -:- -:- -:- N. C.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Jan. 8, 1907.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, firm 67 1-2.

ROSIN—Market steady $3.80.

TAR—Market firm $2.50 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $3.35 per barrel for hard, $4.50 for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine 62 1-2 bid; rosin $3.40 bid; tar firm $1.80; crude turpentine firm $2.80, $4.50 and $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	33
Rosin	604
Tar	218
Crude	38

Receipts same day last year—13 casks spirits turpentine; 70 barrels rosin; 146 barrels tar; 84 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady 10 3-8c.

Same day last year—Steady 11c.

Receipts 952 bales; same day last year 88 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.10; extra prime $1.15; fancy $1.15@$1.20 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—Prime 95c; extra prime $1.00; fancy $1.10@$1.20; Spanish $1.20@$1.25.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 17@18c per pound; shoulders, 12to 13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Dull at 27c.

CHICKENS—Dull 15@25c for small growns 30 @ 35c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 9c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@9c.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 16c @ 17c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Jan., 8.—Trading in cotton was not active but after an early decline the market steadied up and was finally steady, net unchanged to 7 points higher. Sales for the day were estimated at 175,000 bales. The opening was easy at an advance of one point on January but generally unchanged to 7 points lower and shortly after the opening January showed a net loss of 3 points and the more active months were 7 to 9 points lower under a continuation of the bearish pressure and liquidation noted on the previous day which was promoted this morning by lower Liverpool cables and the continued full receipts. But at the decline the offerings for long account seemed to b diminishing, some of the recent buyers became slightly more aggressive in supporting the market and later prices rallied on covering of shorts with the close at pratically the best level of the session and from 5 to 7 points higher on all the active months including the near positions. New Orleans was closed for the day and with the census report expected at 2 o'clock tomorrow business was mostly local and in the way of evening up. A Southern organization estimates the amout of cotton ginned to January first at 11,714,000 bales but this seemed to be without meterial influence on the market.

Estimated receipts at the ports today 65,561 bales against 55,321 last week and 21,203 last year. For the week 280,000 bales against 313,701 last week and 163,296 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 18,055 bales against 6,785 last year and at Houston 33,144 against 8,532 last year.

Spot cotton closed firm. Middling uplands 10.85; middling gulf 11.10; sales 50 bales. Futures closed steady.

Month	Open	Closing bid
January	9.59	9.65
February	—	9.76
March	9.82	9.89
April	—	9.94
May	9.88	9.96
June	—	10.00
July	9.95	10.00
August	9.90	9.96
October	9.80	9.87

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PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston: Very steady, 10 3-4; net receipts 30,885.

New Orleans: Steady, 10 9-16; net receipts 18,055.

Mobile: Firm, 10 1-2; net receipts 1,121.

Savannah: Steady, 10 9-16; net receipts 9,922.

Charleston: Firm, 10; net receipts 212.

Wilmington: Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts 952.

Norfolk: Steady, 10 5-8; net receipts 3,501.

Baltimore: Nominal, 10 3-4; net receipts ——.

New York: Firm, 10.85; net receipts 322.

Boston: Steady, 10.85; net receipts 575.

Philadelphia: Quiet, 11.10; net receipts 16.

Total to-day, at all ports, net 65,561; Great Britain 26,932; France 9,820; Continent 11,105; stock 1,316,413.

Consolidated, at all ports, net 165,585; Great Britain 67,635; France 19,849; Continent 29,515.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net 6,290,074; Great Britain 1,940,399; France 552,216; Continent 1,828,702; Japan 94,484.

Interior Movement.

Houston: Steady, 10 11-16; net receipts 33,144.

Augusta: Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts 775.

Memphis: Firm, 10 9-16; net receipts 4,004.

St. Louis: Quiet, 10 11-16; net receipts 800.

Cincinnati: Net receipts 657.

Louisville: Firm, 10 11-16.

Total: Net receipts 39,380; gross receipts 50,597; shipments 49,495; sales 10,116; stock 354,674.

Liverpool Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 8.—Closing cotton increased demand, prices eight points lower. American middling fair 6.68; good middling 6.20; middling 5.96; low middling 5.76; good ordinary 5.36; ordinary 5.12. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales of which 2,000 were for speculation and export and included 11,400 American. Receipts 43,000 bales including 29,400 American.

Futures opened easier and closed firm; American middling G. O. C.: January 6.63 1-2; January and Februay 5.62 1-2; February and March 5.60; March and April 5.58 1-2; April and May 5.57 1-2; May and June 5.57 1-2; June and July 5.57; July and August 5.55 1-2; August and September 5.49 1-2; September and October 5.44; October and November 5.38 1-2; November and December 5.37 1-2.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, January 8.—Money on call firm 6@15 per cent; ruling rate 6 1-2; closing bid 6; offered at 8; time loans firmer; sixty days and ninety days 6 per cent; six months 6; prime mercantile paper 6@6 1-2; sterling exchange easy with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8490@4.8495 for demand and at 4.8070@4.8075 for sixty day bills; posted rates 4.81 1-2 and 4.86; commercial bills 4.80 1-2; bar silver 69 3-8; Mexican dollars 53 3-4; government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

NAVAL STORES

New York, Jan. 8.—Turpentine firm 71 1-2 to 72; rosin firm, strained common to good 4.25.

Savannah, Jan. 8.—Turpentine firm 68 3-4; sales 357; receipts 221; shipments 300. Rosin firm; sales 3,931; receipts 2,922; shipments 823; stock 78,623.

Quote: A B C 3.90; D 3.90@3.97 1-2; E 3.90@4.00; F 3.90@4.02 1-2; G 3.95@4.05; H 4.20@4.40; I 4.40@4.50; K 5.15; M 5.50; N 5.26; WG 6.75; WW 7.00.

Charleston, Jan. 8.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	104 3-4
U. S. Refunding 2sc ou	104 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	102
U. S. 3s cou	102 3-4
U. S. Old 4s reg	109 3-4
U. S. Old 4s cou	109 3-4
U. S. New 4s reg	129 1-2
U. S. New 4s cou	129 1-2
American Tobacco 4s	76 7-8
American Tobacco 6s	109 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	98 1-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	82 1-4
Southern Railway	113 3-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	98 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	118 3-4
American Sugar Refining	134 1-4
American Tobacco Co	96 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	131
Baltimore & Ohio	120 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	93
Chesapeake & Ohio	55 3-8
L. & N.	143
New York Central	132 3-4
Norfolk & Western	91
Norfolk & Western pfd	88
Peoples Gas	96
Reading	135 1-4
Reading 1st pfd	90
Reading 2nd pfd	94
Southern Pacific	92 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd	117
Southern Railway	31 7-8
Southern Railway pfd	93
Tenn Coal & Iron	158
U. S. Steel	49
U. S. Steel pfd	106 1-2
Va-Car Chemical	37 1-2
Va-Car Chemical pfd	106 1-2
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	530
Western Union	84

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York Jan., 8.—Flour dull and unchanged.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot irregular; No. 2 red 79 elevator; options 1-8c net higher; May 81 7-8; July 81 1-2.

CORN—Stop steady; No. 2 52 1-2 elevator; optinos 1-8c net higher; Jan 52 1-4; May 50 1-4; July 50 1-2.

OATS—Spot steady; mixed 39@39 1-2.

LARD—Easy; western prime 9.30@9.40; refined easy; continent 9.75; South American 10.65; compound 8 1-4@8 1-2.

PORK—Steady.

Rice Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw quiet; fair refining 3 31-32; centrifugal 3 1-2@3.17-32; molasses sugar 2 3-4@3 25-32; refined steady.

COFFEE—Spot easy; No. 7 Rio 7 1-8; Santos No. 4, 8; mild quiet; Cordova 9 1-2; futures 15 @20 points higher.

BUTTER—Irregular; renovated common to extra 17@24; western factory common to extra 18@21.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irish firm; Maine per bag 1.50@1.55; sweet potatoes steady 1.50@2.50 per barrel.

COTTON SEED OIL—Strong on coverings; prime crude fob mills 36; do summer yellow 45 nominal; do white and prime winter yellow nominal.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Jan., 8.—Small receipts in the northwest were partly responsible for moderate strength in the local market today. Another reason for the firmness was unfavorable harvesting weather in Argentina. At the close wheat for May delivery was a shade higher than yesterday's final quotations. Corn and oats were also each a shade higher. Provisions were 15 to 35 cents lower.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

	High	Low	Close
Wheat:			
May	76 1-8	75 5-8	75 3-4
July	75 3-4	75	75 1-2
Corn:			
Jan	39 1-2	39 3-8	39 3-8
May	43 5-8	43 3-8	43 3-8
July	43 3-4	43 1-2	43 1-2
Oats:			
Jan	33 1-2	33 1-2	33 1-2
May	36 1-8	36	36
July	33 1-2	33 1-4	33 1-4
Mess Pork, per bbl:			
Jan			15.75
May	16.62 1-2	16.25	16.25
July	16.55	16.42 1-2	16.42 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.:			
Jan	9.22 1-2	9.05	9.05
May	9.42 1-2	9.25	9.27 1-2
July	9.50	9.35	9.35
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.:			
Jan	8.77 1-2	8.60	8.62 1-2
May	9.05	8.85	8.87 1-2
July	9.12 1-2	9.00	9.00

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour quiet; No. 2 Spring Wheat 75@78 1-2; No. 3 65@65 7-8; No. 2 red 71 1-2@71 3-4; No. 2 Corn 39 3-4; No. 2 yellow 40@40 1-4; No. 2 Oats 33 1-2; No. 3 white 33 3-4@35; No. 2 rye 60.

Short Ribs, Sides (loose) 8.37 1-2@8.62 1-2; Mess Pork, per bbl. 15.75; Lard, per 100 lbs 9.05; Short Clear Sides (boxed) 9.12 1-2@9.25; Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.29.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Robinson, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

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Str. C. W. Lyon, Robinson, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Brig. Alcaea, Anderson, Philadelphia, C. D. Maffitt.

Schr. John J. Hansen, Wood, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Barque Hancock, Erb, Georgetown S. C., C. D. Maffitt.

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Philadelphia—Brig Alcaea, 265 cords poplar wood, cargo by A. F. Jones, agent for B. D. Wright & Co.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 8, 1907.

W. & W. Railroad—182 bales cotton; 9 barrels rosin; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—754 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 12 barrels rosin; 28 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—24 casks spirits turpentine; 275 barrels rosin; 31 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barels rosin.

Str. Alice—30 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Lyon—16 bales cotton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels rosin; 160 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

Flat—350 barels rosin.

Total—952 bales cotton; 33 casks spirits turpentine; 694 barrels rosin; 218 barrels tar; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Petunia Br) 1,093 tons, Gieg, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

England (Br) 2,430 tons, Curtis, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Eriphia (Ger) 1,295 tons, Lau, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Rothesay, (Br) 280 tons, Phipps, C. D. Maffitt.

Ella L. Davenport, 470 tons, Dunton, C. D. Maffitt.

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Edna, 282 tons, Cole, C. D. Maffitt.

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Wise people don't sit down and bawl;
Only fools suicide or take to flight;
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Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
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I make claim to the following vacant land belonging to the State of North Carolina for the purpose of obtaining a grant from the State, situated in the State of North Carolina, New Hanover county, adjoining the lands of the Suburban Land Co., on the north, on the east by the lands of J. E. Hines and Charles Teetchen, south and west by the lands of Frank Canady and others, containing fifty acres more or less.

THOS. F. BAGLEY.
Filed December 26th, 1906.
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Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker
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Dec., 26th, 1906.

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LIABILITIES.

	Sept 4,1906	Nov. 12, 1906
Capital	$ 200,000.00	$ 200,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits, net	111,105.74	115,527.68
Circulation	200,000.00	200,000.00
Rediscounts	18,500.00	none
Deposits	574,793.74	881,519.73
	$1,104,399.48	$1,397,047.41

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$ 468,251.50	$ 506,795.15
Overdrafts	782.16	907.18
United States Bonds and Premiums	259,296.88	259,296.88
Furniture and Fixtures	5,929.29	5,929.29
Cash, and Due From Other Banks	370,139.65	624,118.91
	$1,104,399.48	$1,397,047.41

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We have a line of elegant Leather Rockers and Chairs. We have marked them down in order to move every one before Christmas.
We have five handsome Parlor Suits.
We have five beautiful Toilet Tables.
We have 21 Hall Racks.
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We have 300 Pictures.
We have 30 Toilet Sets.
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We have 225 Rugs.
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We have 25 Reed Rockers,
Which we will sell between now and Christmas.
We have put prices on them all that will move them. All we ask is that you give us a trial.
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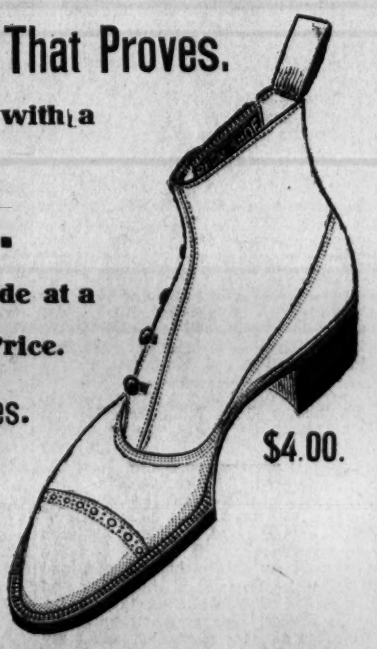

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CATALOGUE ON REQUEST.

SENATOR OVERMAN ON CHILD LABOR

Elaborate Argument Against Any Federal Law Regulating Employment of Children.

INVASION OF STATE RIGHTS

North Carolina Senator Favored Laws As to Child Labor But Held That It is a Question For Individual States.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Jan. 8.—Senator Overman, of North Carolina, addressed the Senate in opposition to the proposed Federal Child Labor laws, his opposition being based on the broad ground of State rights.

Senator Overman went into an elaborate defense of the doctrine of State rights. His text was taken from the Constitution of the State.

"A recurrence to first principles is absolutely necessary to the preservation of our liberties."

The child labor bills of Senators Lodge and Beveridge were read by Mr. Overman with the comment that the enactment of either would not only tend to stretch to the breaking point the commerce clause of the constitution, but would be a usurpation of the rights of the States—rights which the people had expressly reserved to themselves when the tenth amendment to the constitution was adopted. It provides that "the powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, not prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."

As there was in the days of the adoption of this amendment evidence of a strong sentiment for consolidated or centralized government, Mr. Overman believed there are even stronger evidences of this tendency to-day "This sentiment" he said, "has grown with the inordinate desire for the dollar, has increased with the growth of commercialism, the building up of mighty fortunes, the centralization of great wealth in the hands of the few, produced by the great trusts and monopolies, many of which are organized for the purpose of crushing out competition and which have been robbing the people of untold millions."

Mr. Overman pictured the end of State sovereighty as the result of the desire for encroachment on the reserved rights of the people. If more power is needed, he suggested, the way is clear. "Let an amendment be submitted to the States. In any event let the people be consulted; let their sacred will be known; let their consent be given to the surrender of any of their rights. Without their consent let nothing be done by an unwarranted construction."

Mr. Overman held that there was no limit to the power of Congress to deal with commerce which is Interstate in its nature. He heartily endorsed recent measures exercising this control, such as the rate bill, the pure food bill and the meat inspection regulation. There was decided distinction between regulating interstate commerce and making regulations concerning commercial production which might and might not become interstate commerce. For this latter class of industry Mr. Overman desired no interference from Congress. The mere fact that goods were manufactured in one State for transmission to another did not, in his opinion, make those goods subjects for interstate commerce. To support this contention Mr. Overman went into an elaborate discussion of court rulings on the question. He then drew his conclusion that if Congress could regulate child labor in the factory and mine it could regulate it on the farm and in every industry, and in fact, it could regulate every other detail of every industry.

Mr. Overman said he was in favor of a child labor law for the District of Columbia and was not to be understood as making any objection to the enactment of State laws regulating the subject. His objection was on the broad grounds of defending the rights of the States against the centralization of power in the Federal government.

SHOCKING CRIME IN VIRGINIA.

Young Lady Assaulted by Negro Who Attempted to Drown Her.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Lynchburg, Jan. 8.—Late yesterday afternoon Miss Gladys Shelton, 17 year old daughter of a well-to-do farmer, was outraged by a negro, the assault being one of the most horrible in this section for years. The girl was alone at home and the negro after accomplishing his purpose took the girl to a creek to drown her. He changed his mind and made her go to a neighbor's home while he went another direction. This afternoon five negroes were arrested and brought here, a mob of 75 men chasing Sheriff Beard and a deputy for two miles. The girl's condition is precarious but she will recover. The five negroes under arrest on suspicion of being implicated in the crime have been safely lodged in Campbell jail at Rustburg.

—The President yesterday sent to the Senate the nomination of W. J. Flowers to be postmaster at Mount Olive.

Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C .O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both day and night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50 cnts and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

MEXICAN TROOPS SLAY STRIKERS

Fired Volley and Killed Thirty and Wounded More Than Eighty.

SOLDIERS RESTORE ORDER

Disorderly Element Pillaged and Burned Stores and Houses and Released Prisoners From Jail—Mayor Assaulted By Striker.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

City of Mexico, Jan. 8.—Reports received this afternoon from Nogales, in the Orizaba mill district, indicate that the government has completely mastered the situation. The strikers have ceased all acts of violence in the presence of the large body of troops rushed there from the capital and near by garrisons. The seriousness of the affair, however, was realized to-day when it was made known that 30 of the workmen were killed outright and over 80 wounded by the soldiers who were compelled to fire on the main body of the rioters before they could be dispersed.

It was learned that the men after pillaging the stores at the Rio Blanco mills became emboldened by their success. A part of the men rushed to Nogales, a short distance away, where another mill is located. Telegraph, telephone and electric light wires were cut and pawnshops and private houses were pillaged. Then the jails were thrown open and the prisoners set free. Residents of the mill districts fled in terror to the city of Orizaba.

When the strikers reached Nogales one mill official and a gendarme from Orizaba made an ineffectual attempt to check them. A striker named Morelos threw a huge stone at Senor Herrera, Mayor of the City of Orizaba, striking that official on the head and badly wounding him. Herrera shot Morelos, killing him. A body of troops arrived and as the strikers attempted to resist, a volley was fired into the mob, killing thirty and wounding over eighty. After this the mob was scattered and the strikers gathered in groups at various points. A body of seven hundred collected in a railroad track and held the train for the city of Vera Cruz for several hours. The engineer not daring to run through the crowd. Finally troops arrived and charged the men with broad swords scattering them.

The jails and armories are filled with prisoners and strikers.

The government has learned that a committee of strikers have left Orizaba for Tlaxcala.

THE COLD WATER ORDEAL.

It Was Once an Important Test of Guilt or Innocence.

The cold water ordeal was one of the most important tests of guilt or innocence a few hundred years ago. If the accused floated, he was guilty; if he sank, he was innocent. In the twelfth century some altar vessels were stolen from the cathedral of Laon, and the learned Anselm proposed that a child from each parish and then a child from each household should be put to the test and so on until the guilty one was found. The proposition raised a great outcry, and the people clamored that those who had easiest access to the church be the first to undergo the ordeal.

This looked reasonable enough. So the bishop ordered the six priests of the cathedral to prepare for the test. In the meanwhile Anselm thought to try the experiment himself as a preliminary test. So he was bound and placed in a tub of water. To his great satisfaction as well as discomfort he promptly sank. The day arrived and with it an immense crowd to see the trial. The first priest sank, the second floated, the third sank, the fourth floated, the fifth sank, and then Anselm himself—wonder of wonders—in spite of experiments and protested innocence floated around with the buoyancy of an air bubble. While he was serving his sentence in prison Anselm found time to write a learned treatise on the "Inexpediency of the Water Ordeal and Its Failure In Many Cases."

Bright Boy.

"Can you stand on your head?" asked a visitor of little Dudley.

"No," he replied. "It's too high up."

At Helena, Mont. last night the election Congressman Joseph M. Dixon to the United States Senate to succeed Senator Clark was assured, a caucus of the Republican members of the Legislature giving him 49 votes to 22 for former Senator Lee Mantle. Mr. Dixon is a native of North Carolina.

Wise Counsel From the South.

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GREAT SPEECH BY MR. DANIEL

Virginior Senata Demolishes Foraker's Position on Shooting Up of Brownsville

IT IS NOT RACE QUESTION

It is One of Discipline in the Army Whether Troops Dismissed Were White or Black—Roosevelt Clearly Right.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Jan. 8.—Aside from a speech by Senator Daniel, of Virginia, in support of the President's action in the Brownsville affair, practically all of to-day was given over by Senate leaders of both parties to an effort to bring about harmony between opposing views concerning the proposed investigation of the affray. What amounts to an agreement between Senators Foraker and Lodge has been attained by their friends, but inasmuch as it was decided not to present the compromise until all of the Senators desiring to do so had made speeches on the subject of the dismissal of the negro troops, it is not absolutely certain that the peace plans will not be upset.

The compromise is not greatly different from the resolution presented by Senator Lodge and a similar one which Senator Foraker had intended to offer as a substitute for his original resolution. It provides for the investigation of the Senate committee on Military Affairs of the affray at Brownsville and to this is to be added provisions that a subcommittee be sent to Brownsville and that the expenses of the investigation be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate. Such a resolution would ignore the constitutional and legal questions that have been debated for several days in the Senate.

The situation now is said to be the same as it was before the speech of Senator Lodge on yesterday. Both sides were then agreed to leave out the constitutional questions and they had been ignored in the substitute offered by Senator Lodge. It was the speeches on the resolution and the manner in which it was interpreted that caused Senator Foraker to oppose it. Unless the speeches yet to be made create resentment on one side or the other it is believed the compromise will be effective.

In consequence of this prospect Senator Foraker to-day postponed a further presentation in the Senate of his views on the subject.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, thereupon secured the floor. In the main he supported the President, saying "From the beginning of the history of the country there has never been a question of the power of the President to drop from the roll any private soldier. The people ought not to be deceived by any misunderstanding on this subject. Public sentiment should always stand by the chief executive and commanderi-n-chief of the army when he is clear in his great office, and in this case I think he is clear."

Senator Daniel did not, however, endorse the position of the President in forever debarring them from entering the civil service. "I think in that respect," he said "the arrow from his bow went too far."

Mr. Daniel analyzed the articles of war and army regulations to sustain his conclusion that the power to dismiss is equal and conclusive in the President, the Secretary of War, the commander of a department and a court martial. This, he said, had been so for a hundred years and must necessarily be so. "I am neither the lover, the friend or the advocate of autocratic power," he said, "but no people in all this tide of time have ever been able to make aggressive of defensive war without pursuing it through the discipline and organization of armies by putting power in the hands of those who command it."

Referring to the army regulations, Mr. Daniel said they were made by the President, "and" he continued, "whatever other criticism has been made upon the present President from the Republican side of this chamber none have ever intimated that he is engaged in seeking to curtail his own power. In fact some have delicately intimated that he was seeking to extend it beyond the lines which they would prescribe as legitimate and proper."

Justifying Democratic support for the position of the President, Mr. Daniel said: "Nothing has ever prevented any body coming from South of the Potomac from declaring his honest judgment as to the meaning of the constitution, nor upholding the power of the President and the army on all occasions where patriotism invoked adhesion or where clear understanding produced conviction.

Mr. Daniel denied that the race question was involved "and" he exclaimed, "may God forbid that the people of the United States shall raise racial questions when it is possible for them to avoid them."

He proceeded "I have no particle of prejudice against the colored people If I felt that they had been unjustly dealt with in this case, there is not a man on this floor more willing than I would be to defend them. But it is not the color of the soldier's skin which gives him any right, and we should teach the colored men of the United States even as we teach the white men, that obedience to the law, whatever that law may be, is the first duty of a soldier, and the man who does not obey shall feel its power."

Mr. Daniel ridiculed the suggestion which he said had been mysteriously hinted at "that the people of Brownsville shot up their own town in order to bring reproach on the colored soldiers.

"In all the Southern outrages I have ever heard of" continued Mr. Daniel, "this is the first time the human mind has been distorted into the suggestion that a Southern town was shooting up itself."

"If this had been a white company," Mr. Daniel said, "whether from Connecticut or Virginia, we would have had no public meetings on the subject; no sermons would have been preached; no churches would have been aroused and diverted from their religious devotion."

Mr. Daniel favored an investigation "Get all the evidence you can," he said, "but do not impugn the President and the military law."

"To sustain the President" he said in conclusion "is not friendship for autocracy; it is simply friendship for government; it is respect for law."

Senator Foraker asked that the Brownsville resolution go over until to-morrow and this order was made.

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